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For : Method for Polymerising Olefins in the Presence of Nickel Complexes and Corresponding
: Catalytic System

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Prior to or concurrent with calculation of the filing fees, please amend this application as follows.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

On page 1, after the title, please add the paragraph heading "Field of the Invention";

On page 1, after the first paragraph, please add the paragraph heading "Background of the Invention";

On page 2, line 17, please add the paragraph heading "Description of the Invention";

On page 16, line 23, please add the paragraph heading "Examples";

Applicants have attached to this Amendment a document entitled "Amended Specification." Please insert the indicated paragraph at the end of the present specification (page 20, line 6).

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please delete claims 1-45. Please insert new claims 46-94 as shown in the document entitled "Clean Version of the Claims".

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